

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: LUC DEWAELE

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EXAMINER: Gail Kaplan Verbitsky

ATTY. REFERENCE: DEWA3001/JEK

FOR: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR MONITORING THE
WEAR OF A RAPIER BAND

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

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Sir:

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

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